Met Office Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Tuesday 29 Mar 2022 until 23:59 on Wednesday 30 Mar 2022

Forecast Issued on Monday 28 Mar 2022 at 16:18

Confidence: High for a change to much colder conditions through the next 48 hours or so but lower for timing of arrival and clearance of cloud and precipitation on Wednesday.

Headline for Tuesday 29 Mar 2022: Sunny spells but one or two afternoon showers.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 29 Mar 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
00%	00%	00%	<05%	<05%	20%	10%	<05%

Forecast for Tuesday 29 Mar 2022

Weather: Mainly dry overnight with, especially in the west, clear spells, with eastern hills seeing rather more in the way of cloud. Then a sunny start in the west but cloudier in the east, but sunnier spells will develop across eastern parts by mid-morning. One or two showers are expected to develop during the afternoon but most places will remain dry. Then a dry evening with clear spells.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: Close to zero in the east at first, otherwise around 75%.

Low cloud and visibility: Periods or persistent cloud 300-450m over eastern hills at first soon lifting and breaking, otherwise cloud more occasional above 600-750m. Away from cloud visibility good or very good falling briefly in any showers, but rather hazy under cloud in the east through the morning.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	5/8 NE	6/9 NE	9/13 NE	10/14 NE	11/17 NE	10/16 NE	9/13 NE	6/8 E	5/7 E
300	3/5 N	3/6 N	3/8 NE	6/11 NE	9/16 NE	8/15 NE	6/12 NE	4/7 E	3/6 E
Valley	3/6 N	4/7 N	3/8 N	5/10 E	8/15 E	8/15 NE	6/12 NE	3/7 E	3/6 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	7/5	5/3	4/1	5/2	7/4	8/5	6/4	4/2	4/2
300	7/6	5/4	3/2	8/6	10/8	11/9	9/8	6/5	5/4
Valley	7/6	6/4	4/3	9/8	11/10	12/10	10/8	7/6	6/5
Freezing Level*	1500m	1500m	1400m	1300m	1300m	1400m	1400m	1300m	1200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling rather cold on the summits despite the sunshine and light winds.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Mon 28 Mar 2022	0mm	0mm	0mm

Forecast for Wednesday 30 Mar 2022

Weather: Mainly dry with clear or sunny spells through the morning, perhaps just an isolated shower. However increasing cloud is expected to bring outbreaks of rain south through the afternoon, the rain turning increasingly to snow above about 450m through the evening.

Maximum wind: Variable less than 10mph through much of the day, becoming northeasterly 15-20mph in evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: Around 25% in east at first, otherwise around 75% through the morning falling to near zero in the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Periods of cloud above 300-450m across the east at first, otherwise cloud more occasional above 600-750m through the morning, becoming periods or persistent above 300-450m, but nearer 600m at times in west, in the afternoon. Otherwise visibility good falling to several kilometres in rain and perhaps a kilometre or less in snow.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Around plus 3 or 4 at dawn rising to 9 or 10 Celsius by day
At 600m: Around plus 5 Celsius falling to zero Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits falling to 600m during the evening

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